
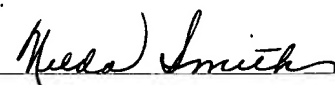


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Applicant(s): Joseph Wilinon III					
Serial No. 09/990,834	Filing Date 11/16/01	Examiner Anita M. King		Group Art Unit 3632	
Invention: Pipe Shoe and Method				RECEIVED NOV 21 2003 GROUP 3600	
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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